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THE list of candidates for the Tennessee U. S. Senatorship is enlarged by the names of Gov. Brownlow and J. M. Toweny, of Memphis, U. S. Marshal for the District of West Tennessee. As the Senatorial term does not commence until 1869, it is argued that Gov. Brownlow can continue in his present duties without interruption.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, whose opportunity to learn the President's views is excellent, asserts that Mr. Johnson has written to Gen. McClellan, offering him the position of Secretary of War. The idea of putting this little exploded humbug in office over Grant, Sherman and Sheridan is a piece of exquisite stupidity which Mr. Johnson only could have originated.

CRANBERRY wine taken internally and applied externally is announced as a cure for scrofula. To make the wine, take the ripe berries, mash them in a mortar to a fine pulp, put it into a stone jar, add one quart of water to two quarts of berries; stir it well; set away and let it stand a week; then strain it through cotton, and you have a beautiful wine, which, with a little sugar, makes a wholesome drink, at once cooling and palatable. It does not ferment.

GOVERNOR PARSONS, of Alabama, has had an interview with the President. It is reported that he urges a modification of General Pope's order, so that the time for registration can be extended. He expresses the opinion that the negroes will cast a vote twice as large as the whites in Alabama, and will elect several negro Congressmen. Those in the confidence of the Governor report that he is conservative in sentiment. He fears that the freedmen are going to make a clean sweep at the South. At his interview the Governor spoke very highly of General Swayne, who has been mentioned as General Pope's successor. The General favors negro suffrage.

Horace Greeley---Autobiographically Considered.

Mr. Greeley gives us two hundred dollars worth of his autobiography in the last *Ledger*. He has now arrived at his own childhood after several hundred years among his ancestors. Considering the robust intellect with which Mr. Greeley has attacked and defended all manner of theories dead, live, good, bad, and indifferent, in his exceedingly "busy life," the following concerning his childhood, will be of interest to our readers:

"I was for years a feeble, sickly child, often under medical treatment, and unable to watch, through a closed window, the falling of rain, without incurring an instant and violent attack of illness."

Mr. Greeley, like most of our great men, and the majority also of our men who are not great, learned to read at his mother's knee, and could read a book sideways or upside down before he was three years old, to the astonishment of the rural neighborhood. Our only wonder is that such a smart child should ever be heard of as a man. The school house to which he first attended as a little three-year old is honored with a wood cut. The most that can be said of it is that it had four windows and stood on an open lot without a shade tree within a mile, as all country school houses do. He speaks of a teacher, Cyrus Winn, whose name deserves a record as one of the few in those days who governed children without a brutal resort to physical force.

"A tall, muscular, thoroughly capable young man (Mr. G. describes him) who rarely or never struck a blow, but governed by moral force and by appeals to the nobler impulses of his pupils. They were no better, when he took charge of them, than his predecessor's had been—in fact they were rather worse—but practically his sway was far more complete, and the revolts against it much rarer; and when he left us at the close of his second term, a general attendance of parents on his last afternoon, with a rural feast of boiled cider and doughnuts, attested the emphatic appreciation of his worth. For my own part I could enjoy nothing, partake of nothing, so intense was my grief at parting with him. It was the first keen sorrow of my life. I never saw him again; but learned he was drowned the next winter."

Mr. Greeley did as well at school as at his mother's knee.

"The capital start given me by my mother enabled me to make rapid progress in school—a progress monstrously exaggerated by gossip and tradition. I was specially clever in spelling—an art in which there were few even tolerably proficient—so that I soon rose to the head of the 'first class,' and usually retained that position. It was a custom of the school to 'choose sides' for a 'spelling-match' one afternoon of each week—the head of the first class in spelling and the youth standing next, being the choosers. In my case, however, it was found necessary to change the rule, and confide the choice to those who stood second and third respectively; as I—a mere infant of four years—could spell, but not choose—often preferring my playmates who could not spell at all.

"These spelling-matches usually took place in the evening, when I could not keep my eyes open, and should have been in bed. It was often necessary to rap me sharply when 'their word' came round to me; but I never failed to respond, and it came to be said that I spelled as well asleep as awake. I apprehended that this was more likely to be true of some others of this class: who, if not asleep, were probably, could scarcely have spelled worse than they did."

Is there another member of Mr. Greeley's class extant who will answer this call?

The writer thinks the frequent change in school books so much complained of has resulted in signal improvement.

"Our school books of to-day are not only far better than those of fifty years ago, but their improvement has not been fully paralleled elsewhere. When I first went to school, Webster's Spelling Book was just supplanting Dilworth's; The American Preceptor was pushing aside The Art of Reading; and the only Grammar in use was the The Ladies' Accidence, by Caleb Bingham—a poor as affair as its name would indicate. Geography was scarcely studied at all, while chemistry, geology, and other departments of natural science had never been heard of in rural school houses. Morse's Geography, which soon came in vogue, was a valuable compend of political and statistical information; but having barely one map, would scarcely pass for a school geography now."

The autobiography hurries on to the writer's eighth year when he "first learned that this is a world of hard work." The old story of the early toil from which so many of our great men have emerged is repeated.

"Often called out of bed at dawn to ride horse to plow among the growing corn, potatoes and hops, we would get as much plowed by nine to ten A. M. as could be hoed that day; when I would be allowed to start for school, where I sometimes arrived as the forenoon session was half through. In winter, our work was lighter; but the snow was often deep and chilled, the cold intense, and my clothing thin; and our clothing thin; beside which, the term rarely exceeded, and sometimes fell short of, two months. I am grateful for much—schooling included—to my father's memory; yet I trust her boys of to-day generally enjoy better facilities for education at her common schools than they afforded me half a century ago."

STATE POLITICS.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

LEWISBURG, PA., September 5, 1867.

Hon. Samuel C. Wingard was to-day nominated for Senate by the Republican Conference for the district composed of Union, Snyder and Lycoming counties. M.

The Mercer county Democratic Convention met on the 27th ult., and nominated the following ticket: For Assembly, James Pierce, of Hickory; for Treasurer, Wm. Black, of Greenville; for Commissioner, Aaron Carmichael, of Worth; for Auditor, George R. Graham, of Mercer; for Door Director, James McCormick, of New Vernon; for Jury Commissioner, Wm. L. Breckenridge, Hadley.

The Democrats of Franklin county held their Convention on Tuesday, and nominated the following ticket: Treasurer, Captain George W. Skinner, of Fannett; Assembly, Col. B. Frank Wingert, of Antrim; Associate Judge, John Armstrong, of Chambersburg.

The names of the following gentlemen will be presented to the Republican Senatorial Conference which meets at Lewistown to-day: L. W. Hall, Blair county; Samuel McVitty, Huntingdon; D. Walker Woods, Mifflin; Col. J. H. Robison, Juniata; W. P. Wilson, Centre.

The Republicans of Centre county have nominated the following ticket: Assembly, Joshua Neff; Treasurer, B. O. Deininger; Jury Commissioner, Colonel Andrew Gregg; County Commissioner, William Stewart; Auditor, A. S. Tipton.

The Republican Convention of Cambria county was held at Ebensburg on Monday, and the following candidates selected: Assembly, Lieut. Samuel Singleton; Sheriff, Lieut. Col. Richard Ryckman; Treasurer, Lieut. Col. Wm. A. McDermitt, County Commissioner, Capt. Francis M. Flanagan; Jury Commissioner, Col. James Cooper; Poor House Director, Sergeant John S. Ogden; Auditor, three years, John Van Scoyoc, Jr.; Auditor, one year, Charles Buxton; Coroner, Capt. George B. Silneman. Resolutions were adopted indorsing Grant, Stanton and Sheridan, and censuring the course of the President.

The Union Republican Convention of Chester county met on Tuesday and nominated the following ticket: Assembly—Dr. S. Meredith, John Hickman and James Phillips. County Treasurer—Phillip Price. Commissioner—Joseph Doan. The Senatorial Conference were instructed by a vote of ninety-eight to eighteen, to support the nominee of Montgomery county. The Convention passed strong resolutions against the course of Andrew Johnson in removing Secretary Stanton and General Sheridan and Sickles, and demanding his impeachment at the hands of a loyal Congress.

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THE CAPITAL.

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It Will be Issued Early Next Week.

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Petition for Reinstatement of Gov. Wells.

A National Vessel Tendered to Madame Juarez.

A Similar Favor Refused Minister Campbell.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., September 5, 1867.

Amnesty.

Some of the politicians who feel deep interest in the fall elections, are urging the President not to issue the amnesty proclamation, and they have to-day enforced their arguments by calling his attention to the fact that on the third of last December, a bill was introduced in the House, which subsequently became a law, repealing that section of the act of 1862, which gave the President power to proclaim general amnesty. Mr. Johnson, however, maintains that the clause in question had no more effect in the statute than when repealed, and that he has the power, under the Constitution, to grant universal pardon. The proclamation will probably be again considered to-morrow in Cabinet, and if not issued on Saturday, will not be delayed beyond next week.

Grant and the President.

The city to-day has had for its subject matter of sensation and rumor, the interview yesterday between General Grant and the President, and the variance of these stories is best illustrated by the Washington papers, one of which reports in detail a quarrel and rupture between those distinguished officials, while another goes so far as to deny that Grant had any interview with the President. Additional inquiry confirms the dispatch regarding this matter sent last night. There have been no sharp words exchanged, and the most that can be stated with reliability is to repeat the well known fact that the views between the Executive and General Grant on reconstruction are irreconcilable. Repeated conversations between the two seem to establish this beyond a doubt. General Grant was unable to discharge his official duties to-day from illness.

Cabinet Rumors.

An evening paper here revives the story that Secretary McCulloch is about to resign, and that Robert J. Walker will be appointed. The Secretary this evening said he was aware of no such change, and nothing is known of it at the White House.

The Border State Convention.

Which is to assemble at Baltimore on the 21st instant, promises to be a considerable gathering. Delegates are to be present from Tennessee, Missouri, Kentucky, West Virginia, Maryland and Delaware.

Report of Gen. Sickles.

The report of Gen. Sickles to Gen. Grant, in the causes which led to his removal, was received here to-day from Gen. Sickles by the associated press, and permission was given by Grant for its distribution by telegraph to the country. It omits the telegraphic dispatch of August 20th, of Grant to Sickles, requesting him to modify or suspend order number 10, although it contains Grant's subsequent telegram withdrawing that dispatch, and telling him at the same time to go ahead with the enforcement of the order.

Reinstatement of Governor Wells.

A letter dated July 20th, and signed by Senators Henderson, Yates, Chandler, Howe, Ramsey, Morrill, and other Republican Senators, addressed to Grant, and asking that Governor Wells pe reinstated, so that he can sign the Mississippi levee bonds as Governor of Louisiana, will be made public in a few days. It is based on the grounds that the need of legality to the bonds is required for their negotiation.

Cabinet Reconstruction.

There are no new Cabinet developments today. Postmaster Randall had a long talk with the President on the reorganization of the Cabinet, but it has resulted in nothing.

Singular.

By the publication of a large amount of diplomatic correspondence it appears that Secretary Seward, last month, tendered the wife of President Juarez a national vessel to proceed to Vera Cruz, and that she accepted the same. The tender was made about twenty days after Minister Campbell had been refused a national vessel to proceed from New Orleans.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 5, 1867.

RUMORS.

A Washington special to-day states that Grant accuses the President of disloyalty in his movements, and will leave the Cabinet but the President cares not. Another special says Grant will leave the Cabinet before the end of the week. Steedman has declined the office, but may be prevailed on to accept it. Another special says the Attorney General is ready to issue an opinion arguing that Sickles is individually liable for his interference with the property laws in the Carolinas.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Judge Kinney, of the United States special Indian Commission, has just arrived in this city from Fort Phil. Kearney, having been absent six months in the discharge of his official duties. About six thousand warriors, composed of Sioux, Cheyennes and Arrapahoes, are now concentrated North of Fort Phil. Kearney, and demand as a condition of peace that the soldiers be withdrawn from the country, the posts abandoned and roads to Virginia City given up. As the country belongs to the Crow Indians, with whom we are at peace, the demand, if complied with, the Judge thinks, may suspend, but will not settle the difficulty. He apprehends the next demand will be to suspend work on the Pacific Railroad, which is being built through the same country without the consent of the Indians. Judge Kinney confirmed the report of an attack on Maj. Powell's party on the 2d of August, and is of opinion there were 2,000 Indians, and that Maj. Powell killed nearly 200. Kinney thinks this defeat of the Indians may open the way to a treaty of peace, and that one more punishment like that administered by Maj. Powell would give us permanent peace.

Acting Indian Commissioner Mix has received the following:

OMAHA, September 4.—Iron Shell, a chief with 180 Indians, arrived at North Platte today. He is from the northern hostile camp.

[Signed] H. B. DENMAN,
Superintendent of Indian Affairs.

By coming into the United States post at North Platte, Iron Shell and his band have manifested their desire to cease hostilities.

THE COOLIE TRADE.

A recent circular to the Treasury Department, addressed to the principal Collectors of Customs on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, instructs them to inquire vigilantly into cases of violation of the laws in relation to the Coolie trade, and to report infractions thereof immediately to the Department, as well as notify the nearest United States Attorney of the same.

RESTITUTION.

Treasurerer Spinner has received the following letter:

ST. LOUIS, August 29.—HON. SIR: I have this day sent to you by postmaster at this place three money orders to the amount of one hundred and ten dollars. The above amount came into my possession while in the service of the Government, and properly belongs to the Government of the United States.

[Signed] THOS. MOORE.

SECRETARY BROWNING RECOVERING.

The Secretary of the Interior has nearly recovered from his recent indisposition. He rode to the White House to-day, and was also for a short time at his Department.

Washington Topics and Gossip.

GRANT AND THE PRESIDENT.

The *Tribune's* special says: There has surely been a quarrel of some character to-day between the President and General Grant, but the facts and nature of the matter is not publicly known. Grant is continuing his customary reticence, and Johnson is telling only those who are his friends, or as he terms it, those who support his policy. It appears that Grant had a long interview with the President, and talked to him very plainly in regard to their respective duties as Government officers. It is given out as positive by General Steedman's friends that Grant will be removed in a few days.

The *Times's* special says: It is certain the relations between the President and General Grant are not as amicable as they might be, and the former's most intimate confidents assert tonight that General Grant will not be retained in the War Office beyond a few days, the President having found him too contumacious as a public officer. He will therefore avail himself of the loop hole that he is granted as superior, and order him back to headquarters. As to who will succeed Grant, nothing positive is known. General Sheridan, whose name has been so freely mentioned, says he is not a candidate for the position and would not accept it. The President's proclamation is generally interpreted here to mean a notice to General Grant and the Military District Commanders that Andrew Johnson is President, and that the reconstruction laws must be executed according to the Johnsonian interpretation on pain of Executive displeasure.

A special of the 5th says: The political turbulence is revived here. It is said that General Grant has had another spat with the President, at which high words passed. It is now confidently predicted that General Grant will not remain much longer in the War Department. The interview between the President and Grant took place yesterday, and it is understood that General Grant plainly told the President that he considered his opposition to the Congressional policy of reconstruction as fortunate to the country; "for," said he, "if it had not been for you the Southern States would have adopted the Constitutional Amendment. Their admission to Congressional representation would have followed, and we would have had ten enemies to the Government, in the shape of sovereign States, in its counsels, whereas now they will be obliged to remain as friends."

THE AMNESTY PROCLAMATION.

The *Tribune's* special says: As yet the President has not given form to the expected amnesty proclamation, nor has he decided upon its details. The subject has not been formally considered in the Cabinet, but it is probable it will be discussed at the session of Friday next. It is certain that Johnson has determined on issuing a general amnesty proclamation within a short time, and unless he should alter his purpose, his proclamation will include all who participated in the rebellion, save fifty, or from fifty to one hundred persons, against whom criminal charges of a heinous character are preferred, or cases in which it is alleged that the usages of warfare in civilized nations have been greatly violated.

The *Herald's* special says: The Amnesty Proclamation was again under consideration yesterday in the Cabinet. Secretary Seward does not exactly concur with the President, but it is stated that Grant and all the other members of the Cabinet are in perfect accord with him.

The President's Amnesty proclamation will be issued next week. It will grant a full pardon to all against whom criminal charges cannot be preferred. Secretary Seward and General Grant both opposed the proclamation, and they will both probably be removed. Both believe that such a proclamation will obstruct a reconstruction and do much damage to the cause of the Republican party, as well as to liberty in the South.

POSTAL TREATY WITH SPAIN.

The Postmaster General is now negotiating a treaty with the Spanish Government by which he expects to reduce the rates of postage between our country and Spain, as well as to establish a regular Postoffice Agency at Havana. Having this object in view several interviews have transpired between the Spanish Minister and Governor Randall, and it is expected that the treaty will be completed before the coming winter.

NEW YORK.

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SAILING OF DIPLOMATS.

M. Dano, French Minister, and other members of the diplomatic body in Mexico, have here Saturday for Europe.

DISTILLERY SEIZED.

Several seizures of whisky distillers were made to-day, and rumor says the Collector of the Fourth District has taken possession of a large whisky bonded warehouse, in which a brother of a Deputy Commissioner now in the city is said to be largely interested. There is great flutter among the illegal whisky interest in consequence.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Addison Hardcastle, a dry goods merchant of St. Louis, died suddenly last night of hart disease.

ARRIVED.

The Swedish corvette Norrkoping arrive today from Quebec.

BRUTAL OUTRAGE.

A young girl named Kate Conemann, god seventeen, was lured into a hallway in Jane street last night, and brutally violated by one men, who escaped arrest.

ARRIVAL OF ADMIRAL GORDON.

The corvette Brooklyn, with Admiral Gordon aboard, arrived at Philadelphia on the 31 ult.

UNION OF HAYTI AND SAN DOMINGO.

Late advices from St. Domingo statethat Cabral has been offered the Presidency of Hayti as long as he lives which had been against Salnave. The office was not certainly accepted, but Cabral is said to be on the ayties frontiers. It was currently reported in Salnave was a fugitive, and the object of the petition seemed to be the union of Hayti and St. Domingo.

EXCITEMENT IN A THEATER.

An alarm of fire was caused this evenibly the explosion of a gas pipe at Niblo's Theer. The flames were promptly extinguished, without occasioning any damage. The affair eated some excitement amongst the audience.

THE RACE.

Large Crowd at Newburg--Men in Good Condition--Odds on Hamill--Policearrangements.

NEW YORK, September 5.—Newburg is settilling with sporting men, attracted by the race of Friday between Brown and Hamill. A lge delegation of Pittsburghers are already here, generally on Hamill. Two hundred speal police have been sworn in, and two military companies are to hold themselves in readins to overawe the roughs if necessary.

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SICKLES.

OBSTRUCTION OF CIVIL PROCESS.

Letter from General Sickles.

A Justification of Order No. 10.

WASHINGTON, September 5.—Permission has been given for the publication of Gen. Sickles's letter to Gen. Grant on the subject of the controversy in North Carolina. It is dated the 30th of August, and was written before the Acting Attorney General's opinion, on which the President removed Gen. Sickles, appeared, yet it may be considered an answer to Mr. Binckley's communication.

Gen. Sickles, in compliance with Gen. Grant's instructions of the 24th, reports the facts and considerations bearing upon the questions which had arisen in North Carolina, between the civil and military authorities. He says: The charge that I have made an issue with the Supreme Court, and set at defiance its decrees, is utterly unfounded. If a subordinate functionary of a Court of the United States, whether for his own purposes or those of any other, choose so to execute his functions that either he must be controlled or else the military authority established by Congress over these States is to be defied by him, and thus held up to contempt, the issue is made up ostensibly with a military commander, but in fact with the Congress of the United States. The military authority in those States is the creation of Congress; the military force in these States is here to execute the laws Congress had passed. The modes and agencies now provided and employed to execute the purposes of Congress have been approved by Congress: the authority given has been confirmed and the discretion by which the authority was controlled has been enlarged.

It would be invalid to charge me with want of proper respect to the Judicial Department of the Government, when to the utmost possible limit to which I could go, I have exhibited that deference and respect to which I felt it became all persons in authority to exhibit. I have responded here in my official capacity to the summons of the Court of the United States. I have, when required, respectfully presented for its consideration the causes and grounds for my official conduct, and when its order was made to attack my person and commit me to jail, I was told from the only source through which I could learn the wishes of the President not to submit to the arrest, but to arrest those who would attempt to arrest me, and although the order for the disobedience of which I was thus interrogated, contemplated the arrest of certain persons who had been tried and condemned for the murder of Union soldiers, under circumstances of great aggravation and atrocity, the President himself by a military order, subsequently directed the removal of the same prisoners from the jurisdiction of the United States Court in North Carolina.

The complaint now is, I have forbidden the execution of a process of the Court of the United States in New Orleans, and have thus set myself above the law of the land. If it had been fairly said I entertained the opinion that the same reason of public policy which constrained me to determine the time and manner in which considerations subsidiary to the accomplishment of this end. I do not believe that process of the Courts of the United States would override and set aside the orders Congress has empowered me to make for the execution of its measures.

It was further said, as I might be sure, and should be justly said, that I had never received, directly or indirectly, any intimation that my superior in authority differed with me in this opinion, or desired the suspension or further forbearance of it modified, many existing apprehensions as to my conduct or motives would be corrected.

After further remarks, General Sickles says: While proceedings in the courts of the States for causes of action arising during the rebellion are stayed, once open provide the doors of the United States Court in that military district for such legislation, and who will mark the limit of fraud and perjury, provoked by cupidity, which will be invoked to secure the jurisdiction of the Federal tribunal. The people of North Carolina whose debtor is in North Carolina has no remedy but in the courts of that State. Citizens of South Carolina, having with each other the same relations, are constituted as to their forum in the recovery of whatever claims against citizens of the same State. They must be content to wait specified time in some cases, and in others until loyal and legal State governments is established. But the citizens of Virginia crosses the line and sues the citizens of United States for South Carolina and vice versa. It is conceded that military authority is made by Congress supreme, if not exclusive, in regard to the people of these two States within their respective limits. If persons under the same military government in their respective States would cease to be so in either by crossing into the limits of the other, in fact their opinion can be had only of the consistency with which the power of the government is thus exercised? What effect it must produce upon the people of these States it is for others to judge.

The General subsequently states the circumstances leading to the issue of order No. 10, which have already been briefly stated, saying to this effect: That Gen. Canby and myself, who had already entered upon judgments it was said, forbear for twelve months to enforce your execution; second, To those who were suing on contracts made and paid up by a Confederate state, to further steps at present in prosecution of your suits. Third, to those who were prosecuting claims for the purchase money of slaves, it was said, they are prohibited. To those who have had demands upon contracts made after the cessation of hostilities, no interference was threatened or allowed. If any interference, therefore, is to be justified, what other, what less than what was done could have been done? Both men are in good condition. The betag is very heavy, and the odds of one hundred to eighy generally on Hamill. Two hundred speal police have been sworn in, and two military companies are to hold themselves in readins to overawe the roughs if necessary.

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Political Movements and Expected Changes.

Gold Discoveries---A Bogus United States Minister, Etc.

Special Correspondence of the Chicago Evening Journal.

CITY OF MEXICO, August 10.

There is a perfect dearth of news here—nothing transpiring, nothing doing, either in social, Governmental or financial circles. Every one seems as if surrounded by sackcloth and ashes, and fearful of making a movement of any kind. The "Government" has now been here quite a month, but as yet has not recovered from the fatigue of its journey, and from the labor of slaughtering its prisoners.

The Ministry, which every one thought was complete some time since, is again out of gear. The organization of the Supreme Court was effected, and, Mexican like, was destroyed by two of the appointees refusing to serve. Everything is "topsy turvy" or is "not at all." The Government is straining every nerve, attempting every dodge, and testing almost every plan to raise funds, of which it is sorely in need, and in the most alarming state of danger on account of its bankruptcy. Uncle Sam must either come forward with a generous hand and empty his gold bags into the Mexican Treasury, or it will fall to pieces, and its predicted glorious career know no other life than that of prophesy. Confiscation dare not not be attempted on the one hand, as it would be subverting the laws and ignoring the Constitution; while on the other, unless it is carried into effect, the great number of governmentle officials will create trouble, as they look upon all church and traitors' property as rightfully theirs. Mr. Juarez is surrounded by difficulties such as few men occupying his position in Mexico have been, and he now has the opportunity of showing his statesmanship.

Much has been upon half-pay for six weeks, and during the last few days not a cent has been given them. Murmurs are heard upon all sides in consequence, and the threats are becoming bolder and bolder. The ranks of the *ladrones* are receiving continual accessions, and soon the whole army will be incorporated into bands of highwaymen.

Minister Campbell issued an order a few days since, making highway robbery punishable with instant death, but this receives no attention. Occasionally one is caught and shot. On last Monday two Austrians and Five Italians were detected and at once executed. The heavy little effect upon the majority, however; they continue their work almost unmolested.

Mr. Juarez and his Cabinet seem to be sleeping upon every question and consideration except that of money, but in this they show marked activity. A plan of forcing the wealthy landholders to pay large sums, varying from ten to a hundred thousand dollars, was inaugurated not long since, and although those who refused payment were threatened with confiscation of all their property, very little has been secured in that manner.

The next plan adopted was to compel all the duties paid the Empire to be refunded to the parties collected in the same kind of money and the same. The merchants of Vera Cruz and the capital were accordingly notified of the fact, which caused the utmost consternation, as it would bring inevitable ruin upon all. The matter was compromised yesterday by the payment of $150,000, just a sixteenth of what was first demanded.

News from the interior looks badly for business men. Many failures are occurring, and the whole land commerce wears the appearance of being utterly prostrated and ruined. The house of W. Newald & Co., of Zacatecas, is among the most recent. They are but one or two exceptions, the heaviest concern in Mexico, and their liabilities will probably exceed half a million.

The political horizon looks somewhat better, as Canales's proposals have been accepted by Juarez, and Tamaulipas is settling down for the time being. Jalisco, of Jalisco, has been treated with by Corona, and the latter is now here for the purpose of having the same ratified by the Government. This puts a more quiet aspect upon affairs than they have worn for years. Every one is anxious for office. Escobedo is figuring for the Presidency, and is assisted by Lerdo de Tejada and Montes are receiving the most nominations at the hands of the press. Juarez's day is almost finished, and he will probably be permitted to quietly sink into oblivion within the next six months.

The trial of General O'Horan is nearly closed. He is reported to have become hopelessly insane since his capture. This will not avert his fate, probably, as he will no doubt be shot, sane or not.

Great stories are continually told of the gold discoveries of Chihuahua. Persons will do well to take a second thought before going thither, as it is but a few weeks before it will be found impossible to work there in consequence of failure of water.

One distinguished Swede from Milwaukee, who, it is now positively known, has been named minister to this country, had a grand Jubilee given him on Wednesday evening of last week, which, it is said, was conferred upon the "Americans" resident of the capital. It turned out to be a grand ax-grinding affair, and ended up by a Confederate cheering for the German Jews and a few Frenchmen. The genuine Americans of the capital, not wishing to be known in connection with the affair, published the following card showing the same:

A CARD.

MEXICO, August 2, 1867.

In the city papers we notice an account of a banquet said to have been given Mr. Marcus Otterbourg, United States Consul, by the "American residents of this city." There is manifestly an error in this statement, as no meeting of Americans was either called or held for any such purpose or for tendering that gentleman such a compliment, in consequence of his reported nomination as Minister to Mexico. Three or four immediate friends of Mr. Otterbourg constituted themselves a committee and personally invited some of the undersigned to join in the same, who, however, declined so doing. The banquet was not an *American* affair. *Monitor, Siglo XIX., Boletin* and other journals please copy.

MANY AMERICANS.

The following persons, calling themselves Americans, were present: Ex-Confederates, Governor T. C. Reynolds, General Slaughter, Colonel Green, Otterbourg's clerk, Major Clark, editor of the *Two Republics*, owned by M. Otterbourg, J. S. Cripps, *Charge de Affaires* for Jeff. Davis, late Otterbourg's secretary, and by him since appointed United States Consul, *ad interim*, Captains Taylor, Woods, Tradkill, Gadsden, Wells and Major McMurtry. The following were present, but are only resident visitors: Judge Hall, Mr. J. Robinson, Colonel Green, Lieutenant Proudfoot, with Sr. Lizarde. These were all the Americans present, some sixteen in all, out of the two hundred now here. There was not a business man from among the Americans present, and it turned out that Otterbourg paid quite all the expense himself. Mr. O. has put the flags of the United States and Texas over his door in place of the Consulate. It is quite a bare-faced matter, when he has as yet received simply a telegraphic dispatch announcing only the nomination. He has not sent his papers to the Government, and been twice refused recognizance. Milwaukee ought to take back her adopted son, and put him through a course of regeneration.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

John McQuenn, formerly a member of Congress from South Carolina, died last week.

Attorney General Stanbery, now at Capon Springs, writes that his health is improved and that he will return to Washington on Tuesday next.

It is now stated that Senor Romero, the Mexican Minister, is to be continued at Washington as the representative of the Juarez government.

Business in Philadelphia is improving. The people are rapidly returning from the watering places.

Rev. Henry Wendt, who was convicted of raping thirteen young girls, inmates of the Lutheran Orphans' Home in Germantown, has been sentenced by Judge Allison to seventeen years imprisonment at hard labor in the Eastern Penitentiary.

It is proposed by the citizens of Washington to give Gen. Sickles a grand reception on his arrival at the capital.

Two cases of Asiatic cholera were reported in New York yesterday.

Late Santa Fe papers announce the safe arrival of Bishop Lamy, erroneously reported killed by the Indians. He met an enthusiastic reception at Santa Fe. The news was celebrated.

Aaron Jones has recovered sufficiently from his injuries to appear at Mozart Hall, Cincinnati, in a set-to with Mike McCoole.

Dr. Day, the Superintendent of the Binghamton Inebriate Asylum, says, in confutation of the current slander about the prevalence of drunkenness among women, that in four months he had only eight applications from women for admission. And these eight were mostly victims of opium, and mostly from Canada.

METHODIST COLLEGE IN INDIA.—The Methodists have founded a mission college in Lucknow, India, with an endowment of 25,000 rupees. The English Government offers to double the annual income of the institution. Several donations for founding scholarships have been made, and an appeal is published by the Board of Trustees asking aid in the enlargement of this first Methodist college in Asia.

SECOND EDITION.

1 O'CLOCK, A. M.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Increase of Bullion in Bank of England.

Criminal Prosecutions Against Orangemen.

Danish West Indian Possessions Not Sold to the United States.

Liberal Victory in German Elections.

Baron Von Vinkle to Govern Hanover.

Increase in Bullion.

LONDON, September 5.—The weekly returns of the Bank of England show that the bullion has increased £500,000.

Orangemen Prosecuted.

DUBLIN, September 5.—Criminal prosecutions have been commenced against several persons known to be bitter Orangemen, charged with participating in the recent disorderly processions of Orangemen, and being parties to the disturbances which occurred on those occasions.

Denial.

COPENHAGEN, September 5.—The report that the government of Denmark had sold the Danish islands in the West Indies to the United States is officially denied.

Elections in Germany.

BERLIN, September 5.—Returns of the recent elections from all parts of Prussia and other States of the confederation show that the liberal candidates for the North German Parliament are generally successful, and the liberal party will undoubtedly have a large and controlling majority in the coming session.

Assurances of Peace Accepted.

In the Prussian Senate to-day action was taken which indicates that the Senate is willing to accept the assurances given that the Salzburg Conference is a guarantee of peace to Europe.

The Hanovarian Goverament.

The Conference which for some time has been in progress here between the Prussian Government and the Hanovarian notables, has resulted in the appointment of Baron Von Vinkle, an eminent Prussian statesman, to preside over the government of Hanover. His appointment is considered, will be peculiarly acceptable to the Hanovarians, as, though a native Prussian, he has an estate in Ostenwald, in Hanover, which he has made his habitual residence for many years.

Baden Races.

BADEN, September 5.—The international races were continued at Iffiezeim yesterday. The attendance exceeded even that of the day before, as a contest was to take place for a grand prize offered by the Duke of Baden. The French horse Rubbas was the winner.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Evening, September 5.—Consols 93¾; Illinois Centrals, 77½. Atlantic and Great Western, 25¾.

Frankfort Money Market.

FRANKFORT, Evening, September 5.—United States bonds, 77¾.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Evening, September 5.—Cotton became dull; sales of 10,000 bales, including uplands declined ⅛d; quotations, middling uplands 10d; Or

The Daily Commercial

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1867.

THE COMMERCIAL *is the largest daily paper in the State, and gives daily one-fourth more reading than any other paper in Pittsburgh. It is the only Pittsburgh paper that uses the telegraph liberally, gives full market reports, and all the news of the day.*

OUR CANDIDATE.

Hon. Henry W. Williams.

(From the Pittsburgh Post, June 28.)

WORTHY CANDIDATES.

The nomination of Henry W. Williams as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, is a good one. He was the best man named before the Republican Convention, and possesses legal and moral qualifications for the responsible position to which he has been nominated. Both parties have now presented their candidates. An important duty has been faithfully discharged by the respective conventions. The campaign may now be conducted without personal aspersions, and decided upon the principles of the two great parties. This is as it should be."

(From the Pittsburgh Post, August 29.)

If the notice of Judge Williams's nomination which appeared in the "*Post*" at the time, and now kept standing at the head of the Republican papers, is intended as a rebuke for any supposed inconsistency since, it falls in its purpose. We claim nothing to take back or modify. Of Judge Williams's private or legal reputation we b[e]lieve nothing but words of praise, and how politi[cal] may sail some pharisaicus and hy[po]critical politicians, we cannot bring ourselve[s] to believe, the soual assaults as either wison principle and Democracy plants itself uesus the public and deals with facts, and[not] official acts of candidates.

We are yet spasmodic. Monday the New York papers ceased coming day, and for the last day or two we have been getting our eastern exchanges from one to three days behind time. We make no account of mails nearly a week old that have not yet come to hand. We observe that complaints of this character are becoming quite general.

THE Boston *Advertiser* speaks of "the singular inability of Congress to express its own intention," which is "materially assisting" the President in the present contest. It is an unfortunate fact that in the present crisis whatever point of advantage the President has arisen from the fact that Congress failed to completely execute its distinct purpose, in so far as some of its most important enactments were either so loosely drawn as to raise a doubt as to the meaning, or to fall entirely short of covering the ground intended to be covered. These things are to be referred to now, however, only by way of admonition concerning any future action that it shall be found necessary to take.

THAT Gen. GRANT and ANDREW JOHNSON have had a spirited interview, not to say a quarrel, is conceded on all hands, and the early retiring of Gen. GRANT from the War Department is predicted. The occasion for the quarrel was the plain language the General employed in telling Mr. JOHNSON that his policy was on the side of the rebellious States and their objects against the will of the loyal people expresssed by Congress. But the General as plainly told the President that he had overreached himself, for in the Providence of God he had delayed the restoration of the South until it was fit to be restored. The breach is irreparable, and on grounds that reflect the greatest credit on the patriotism and firmness of General GRANT.

THE party lines in the Southern States do not run by any race or color. The attempt to give prevalence in the North to this delusion has been very great. But there is no truth in it. The negroes are not all on one side, nor the whites all on the other. Two days ago a *Conservative* State Convention was held at Montgomery, Alabama, at which eighty-seven delegates were present, twenty of whom, nearly a quarter, were *colored*. How absurd to speak of the conflict of races, on the question of reconstruction, when we have such representative men as Governor OLIN favoring one side and B. H. HILL the other, or two popular and distinguished Generals like LONGSTREET and WADE HAMPTON on opposite sides! Numerous other instances, too, could be given.

FIVE million a month in the reduction of the public debt, will do pretty well for dull times. Sixty million a year makes something of a hole in the mountain. And this is the minimum reduction, we believe, made in any month since the war. On the revival of business, on the bringing of the year's good crops into the market, on the silencing, by public rebuke at the election, of the demagogical cantings and growlings, and on the reconstruction of the seceded States, we anticipate a business prosperity in the country that will whittle down the public debt and individual taxation at a rapid rate. If the whisky tax were honestly paid, the reduction during the past month might have been perhaps twice as large as it was. It is for the interest of every citizen that this tax should be properly assessed and paid. The more effectively the laws be put in execution on that article, the sooner may every citizen expect a reduction of his own tax bill.

THE Brooklyn *Eagle* continues to inculcate the revolutionary idea of resistance by the President to the constitutional action of Congress. It now wants to know if the "Radicals" have contemplated what might happen in case the President refused to vacate his office in obedience to the vote of a Congress "from which ten States are excluded?" Here it is distinctly suggested that Mr. JOHNSON should, and probably would, refuse to obey the verdict of impeachment, on the ground that the rebel States are not permitted to participate in the proceedings. This is the old threat and for the old reason advanced by the President. A year ago he preached up the doctrine, because the rebels were kept out, that Congress was an illegal body, and he talked loosely about driving it out. The threat itself presupposes a disposition leading to acts for which he should be impeached. Let him undertake to execute any one of his threats.

We gave yesterday as an item of news the statement that a faithful and capable minister of the gospel in Connecticut, had been obliged after long years of service to resort to some other employment on account of the pitiful smallness of his salary. Similar cases may probably be found without going so far as Connecticut to find them. We have noticed in both secular and religious papers, of late, many articles on this subject, showing how very small are the salaries usually paid to ministers, compared with the pay and fees of other professional men. We do not of course know what practical effects may result from such statements, nor whether they will sensibly promote the pecuniary interests of this useful and poorly paid class of men. We are aware that by the Indian anecdote of "poor pay poor preach," or some equivalent of equal convenience, many persons are led to regard with complacency or indifference the injustice done to this profession. This is bad enough, but this is not the full extent of the injustice. While they are jeered for their scanty compensation, they are also, by some, reproached as acting from entirely sordid motives. The subject has ramifications and bearings intertwined with religious society and moral results, the consideration of which we may commend to our readers, without further prosecution of it here.

THE question is asked, how does ANDREW JOHNSON, by a proclamation of amnesty, expect to strengthen resistence to reconstruction and swell the ranks of those who, in the Southern States, will vote against the Unionists? The seventh section of the last reconstruction act says: "And no person shall at any time be entitled to be registered or to vote by reason of any Executive pardon or amnesty for any act or thing, which, without such pardon or amnesty, would disqualify him from registration or voting." This would seem to be conclusive against the efficacy of any pardon or amnesty to enfranchise rebels. But it is understood that the new policy and the process of enforcing it embraces the idea of removing the prior disqualification by an opinion giving such a construction to preceding sections as will accomplish that object. Then, it is said, is to follow an order signed by ANDREW JOHNSON as Commander-in-Chief, which is to be depended upon to nullify the act of Congress defining the powers of the District commanders. This done, the laws of Congress will be set at naught and the President made supreme. JERE. BLACK, assisted by Judge SHARSWOOD, probably, is relied on to furnish the necessary "opinion," and Mr. JOHNSON is said to be sufficiently wedded to the Commander-in-Chief idea to believe himself capable of performing the rest. That this plan has been discussed by the President and the leaders of the Pennsylvania Democracy who surround him, is well understood. It remains to be seen whether the recklessness of the authors of this scheme is sufficient to cause them to attempt to put it into execution.

LAME ACQUIESCENCE

The COMMERCIAL is displeased with the nomination of Judge ELLIOTT for Supreme Court judge, not exactly because there is anything peculiarly objectionable in that. That they should not be the case, the COMMERCIAL did its best to make it so. While the party was being drawn together in its conventions, and in delegated bodies, to obedient principles, was inscribing resolutions of fealty to the Constitution, and thereby sacrificing moral courage to secure patronage to the journal with which we identify, and in which the ruling sentiment of the Democratic party is thereby made to commit itself to treason, was declaring its adhesion to Governor CURTIN and secure his potent intervention with the dispensers of public favors, the crumbs of comfort, but was not rated at the value it put on itself and was ultimately constrained, by the indignant Republicans of this city and county, to turn back from following the political lead of whose service it was ambitious. The Colonel has now received the first instalment of his proper reward from the party whose rights and doctrines he sustained. The COMMERCIAL is chagrined at this result, which is justly regarded as inferentially a rebuke of its shortcomings. It thinks the Convention made a grave mistake in selecting the senatorial nominee; and while it professes to support the ticket, it commences doing so in a way calculated to distract and demoralize the Republican ranks. The Colonel was so fairly nominated, and by so large and significant a majority as to defy cavil. He is not a stranger to the Republicans of this county. They have known him long and well. If the COMMERCIAL intends to give him an earnest support, let it say so, and have its actions bear testimony to its sincerity. To borrow an explosion from Andrew Johnson, it has hung on the verge of the party long enough. Let it either fall squarely into line, or go over on the other side.

The above is from the Pittsburgh *Gazette* of Thursday. So long as that paper confined itself to the exhibition of petty spite towards the COMMERCIAL, arising from no better reason than sundry failures to compete with us in a business way, we permitted it to go unnoticed; but it having at this day ventured to impugn our fidelity to the Republican party and its principles, to talk about our hanging "on the verge" of that party, and assumed to invite us to leave it, we are justified in resenting the insult, leveled not only at ourselves but at least a respectable share of the members of the Republican party. The COMMERCIAL yields nothing to the *Gazette* or any one in devotion to the cause. We give that cause no grudging support; and we invite any comparison that any one chooses to make to determine what influence this paper has exerted on public sentiment, whether concerning the political questions of the day or questions of public interest effecting the general welfare of this locality and the State. To render that support most effective, and as the best means of increasing that influence, we have not thought it best to engage in personal controversies with those who were professing to be traveling in the same direction we were; nor have we thought that the constant exhibition of personal animosity, the frequent indulgence of a spirit, which, in a well-ordered community, cannot fail of being offensive, was the highest type of journalism. While we hold to these views, however, and make them the line of our conduct, we maintain that we have the same right to resent deliberate insult, to rebuke arrogance, and deal with a slanderer and an unmannerly person when he appears in print that we have to turn an indecent person from our doors and deal with a blackguard who will be satisfied with nothing but the chastisement he merits.

We cannot think that that which the *Gazette* is so prompt to invite will prove the best thing that could happen to the Republican party here. We much question whether its method of supporting the ticket is the very best that could be selected. But it having chosen it, and taken an attitude that admits of no choice on our part, we shall not decline to meet it, should it on reflection continue to hold to that method and maintain that attitude. Neither is of our choosing. But we shall maintain our self respect, and defend ourselves as best we can.

We do not "feel chagrined" at the nomination nor do we "regard it inferentially" as a rebuke of ourselves any more than it was a rebuke of the very large minority in the Convention. Let the *Gazette* remember that the minority was large and influential and is entitled to respect.

The ticket nominated on Tuesday has our support, and will to the end have the benefit of all our energies—and this we say with an unselfishness which we think will not suffer in comparison with our neighbor. We had a right—we thought it was our duty—to say that we believed the renomination of Senator BIGHAM would have been wisest. We thought so then, and we think so now. Faithful support of the Republican cause does not pre-suppose that we must relinquish the right to say this much. We know that hundreds of good Republicans agreed and do now agree with us concerning the nomination; and if we are hanging "on the verge" of the party, then are they, and the invitation to us to depart, will, we think, be regarded by those Republicans as extended equally to themselves.

The *Gazette* can have whichever it pleases—peace or contention. Except for the consequences that may come to the party, we are quite indifferent which it selects. We think, however, that the energies of the Republican press, and of all the Republicans, should be expended against the common foe. If such proves not to be the case, it will be not on account of anything we have said or done, or failed to say or do.

LIGHT IN THE RIGHT PLACE.

A Mississippi journal, the Jackson *Clarion* well exposes the infatuation, still cherished in many minds of the South, that a reaction is going to take place, in their behalf, in the minds and the political action of the Northern people. It refers to the origin of the delusion, in the promises given by Northern Democratic politicians when secession was brewing in the South, and thinks it amazing that any people of sense can rest upon that delusion that has been so utterly demolished during and by the war. It assures them that they have not the slightest reason to expect any such reaction as they are still dreaming of—encouraged by the same deceitful reports, in a class of the Northern papers.

Among other arguments to shake their confidence, which is doing them so much injury, the *Clarion* most truthfully and kindly tells them that there is not, since the war ended, a single "sign of the North surrendering any of the advantages which have resulted to it as the victorious party." Nay further, that terms have grown more exacting, in consequence of the opposition that more gentle conditions of restoration proposed have met with from the South. It declares, what is true, that no longer ago than July, Congress unequivocally indicated its adherence to its firm purpose, and logically adds, that it is absurd to expect the people to quarrel with their representatives for doing precisely what they were instructed by the people to do.

We know not how much influence such considerations, plainly and kindly presented by one of themselves, will bring to the counsel that accompanies it, viz: that they should accede to the reconstruction scheme offered by Congress. We cannot but pity the masses of the Southern people perplexed and puzzled as they must be by the conflict of such prudent advice with the pernicious and passionate appeals of HILL, WADE HAMPTON and HERSCHELL V. JOHNSON. We fear they have been too much and too long swayed by politicians of the latter sort, to give good counsel the consideration it deserves. Certain it is, many members of them are sunk into a condition of morose sullenness. And the condition of mind as much as the condition of affairs must be changed before they can be induced to accept the terms offered by the conqueror. Time, and the inexorable logic of events, will probably do this work. But the process is a slow one, and we have to wait patiently for it to be completed.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Warrenton (Va.) Springs property, embracing an estate of four hundred acres of land, the large hotel on which was occupied during the war, was sold a few days ago for the sum of $35,000. It is the intention of the purchaser to commence the immediate erection of a large hotel, and to have the Springs in operation next season.

A Salt Lake letter says: The grasshoppers have done much damage to the gardens and fields in and near this city within the week past. Most of the apple, pear and plum trees are stripped of their foliage, some entirely, not a leaf left. They are truly under bare poles.

The leading State officers are preparing a new plan for collecting the tax on whisky, to present at the next session of Congress. One measure under discussion is to tax the capacity of stills, and issue license by the week, month or year, through Collectors, payment being required in advance.

The preliminaries for the four-oared boat race between the Ward brothers and the St. John crew at Springfield, on the 11th inst, "for the championship of the world," are now complete. The stakes, $1,000 a side, have now been paid in. It has already been stated, and we believe it to be a fact, that a new crew from the province will pull in this race, and not the St. John crew which won the race at Paris.

Cholera is ravaging Italy in every direction. The terror-stricken inhabitants are fleeing from one city to another, spreading the panic and carrying the awful pestilence wherever they go. And some cities were preparing to resist by force of arms the entrance of fugitives from plague-smitten cities.

The celebrated 10-inch 184-ton gun, made at Woolwich to the order of Mr. Lynall Thomas, has been burst at the 1034 round with a charge of sixty pounds. The heavy expenditure incurred upon this gun to make it a model has ended in the breech being completely blown out, and in its consignment to that limbo of expensive failures, the "scenectery" at Woolwich. The experiment is held to be a "satisfactory proof" of the superiority of steel tubes for guns over those of wrought iron.

According to Frank Moore's "War Anecdotes," early during the rebellion, notes of a Pennsylvania bank, bearing Buchanan's likeness became so disfigured by "Traitor" and other worse epithets, written under the portrait, that the bank was compelled to call them all in and make a new issue, omitting the obnoxious head.

Less than one quarter of the births in Boston last year were from American parents on both sides. Less than forty per cent. had any native American blood. Seventy-five per cent. had foreign blood, and sixty per cent. were purely foreign.

A private letter from California, by the steamer just in, says: "Our end of the Pacific Railroad is going ahead so rapidly that it is now a settled fact that in 1869 you can visit us by rail. Won't it be nice when we can take our carpet-bags for a few days' trip to San Francisco or New York, and avoid the horse-shoe ocean route with its nausea by way of diversion!"

The mackerel fleet is making its re-appearance on the Eastern shore with cargoes of fish. The mackerel are sold as fast as they arrive, and prices have advanced. Last year eighty vessels arrived during the month of August. There has been quite a falling off this season. The probability now is that fully two-thirds of the fleet will make but one trip.

The London *Scapel*, the highest medical authority in the world, gives the following as an infallible cure for small pox and scarlet fever: Sulphate of zinc, one grain; fox glove (*digitalis*), one grain; half a teaspoonful of sugar, mix with two tablespoonsful of water. Take a spoonful every hour. Either disease will disappear in twelve hours. For a child, smaller doses, according to age. If countries would compel their physicians to use this, there would be no need of pest houses.

A young man named Regan died in Albany, recently, from having a mole or wart on his face cut by a barber while shaved. The wart was on the left cheek, and while the whole right side was paralyzed, the left leg and arm became rigid, and the face turned over the left shoulder.

PERSONAL.

—The largest ministerial salaries in New York and Brooklyn are those received by Chapin and Beecher. The former has $10,000 and the latter $12,500. Each is the owner of a handsome residence, presented by devoted constituents. Chapin's is on Thirty-fifth street, and Beecher's on Columbia street. Both pastors turn honest outside pennies.

—The Hon. John Morrissey, M. C., has arrived in New York City from Saratoga. His "bank" at Saratoga closed last week with a loss of $40,000 on the season.

—It has been proposed to hold a public meeting in Faneuil Hall to utter the voice of Massachusetts in favor of General Grant. The Boston *Transcript* says: "By all means let us have this gathering."

—From an interesting sketch of the life of Speaker COLFAX in the *Ladies' Repository*, a Methodist publication, we learn that Mr. COLFAX's grandfather was Captain Colfax of Gen. Washington's body guard, and his grandmother was a Schuyler, cousin to Major General Philip Schuyler of revolutionary fame. He was born in the city of New York on the 23d of March, 1823, and is therefore forty-four years of age. He was a posthumous child, his father having died a few months before he was born. When he was ten years old his mother married Mr. Matthews, and the future Speaker's short schooldays closed. The next three years he stood in his stepfather's store. In 1836 the family emigrated to Indiana, and "for thirty-one years has pure Western home life smiled upon and sheltered him, whose only possible complaint is the expatriating majorities which banish him so repeatedly East again to Washington."

—The Boston *Traveller* of Monday says: Hon. Darwin A. Finney, of Meadville, Pennsylvania, a member of Congress from the Twentieth Congressional District of Pennsylvania, is dangerously ill at the residence of Ezra Marsh, in Shelburn, Vermont, whom he has been visiting for several weeks. But faint hopes are entertained of his recovery.

—The New York *World* says that it is a matter of common notoriety that Miss Braddon, the novelist, is the mistress of Maxwell, her publisher, and it is also known that Miss Evans, the author of "Romola" and "Adam Bede," is living in unholy bonds with Lewes, the Comptist philosopher. When Ruskin's wife left him for Mallais, the artist, it did not prevent that eloquent writer from subsequently warmly praising the pictures of the successful rival to his wife's affections, and when Ruskin lectures, Mrs. Ruskin and her paramour are frequently seen in the audience, applauding the deserted husband.

—Lopez, who was dead in Mexico, assassinated, with his death-struggles, last words, and all particulars in the papers, is now writing letters denying his treachery to Maximilian. Gen. Marquez has been murdered four times within three months, and is now alive and well. Santa Anna was shot at Sisal, and is now to be tried by court martial.

—Elizabeth Cady Stanton is off for Kansas. A well known poetess who recently called on her at her house up-town, asked her what she was going to Kansas for. "I am going," was the characteristic reply, "to hunt the white male citizen out of that region." Mrs. Stanton is a large-figured, rosy faced, white haired lady, of very pure personal appearance.

—In the last number of the *Anti-Slavery Standard* Wendell Phillips has an article upon Abby Folsom, lately deceased, in which he says she was undoubtedly insane, made so partly by religious excitement and partly by injustice done her and her sister in respect to some real estate by the authorities of a town in which she resided. But, nuisance though she was at public meetings, her virtues have thrice atoned for her defects.

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The Fenian Excitement.

The Fenian excitement has been the chief topic of conversation in Ireland during the week. Large numbers of the police have been sworn in, and the military have been under arms. Many arrests have been made, and the prisons are filled with suspected persons. Large numbers of Fenians have been arrested in Dublin, Cork, Limerick, Tipperary, Kilkenny, Waterford, Wexford, Clare, Kerry, Galway, Mayo, Sligo, Roscommon, Leitrim, Longford, Westmeath, Meath, Kildare, Queen's County, Carlow, Wicklow, Tyrone, Fermanagh, Monaghan, Cavan, Donegal, Down, Antrim, Armagh, Londonderry

The Daily Commercial

BE A WOMAN.

Oft I've heard a gentle mother,
As the twilight hours began,
Reading with a son or daughter,
Urging him to be a man.
But while her fine eyed daughter,
Though with love's words quite as ready,
Points the out the other duty—
"Strive, my dear, to be a lady."

What's a lady? Is it something
Made of books, and silks, and attire,
Sent to decorate the parlor,
Like the tassels on the chairs?
Like the fashion that wastes on novels
Is it one that wastes on novels
Every feeling that is human?
If 'tis this to be a lady,
'Tis not this to be a woman.

Mother, then, unto your daughter
Speak of something higher far
Than to be mere fashion's lady—
"Woman" is the brightest star.
If you, in your strong affection,
Urge your son to be a true man,
Urge your daughter not less strongly
To arise and be a woman.

Yes, a woman; bright as model
Of that high and perfect beauty,
Where the mind and soul and body
Blend to work out life's great duty.
Be a "woman," naught is higher
On the gilded crest of fame;
On the catalogue of virtue
There's no brighter, holier name.

Be a woman; on to duty—
Raise the world from all that's low.
Place high in the social heaven
Virtue's fair and radiant bow.
Lend thy influence to each effort
That shall raise our future human;
Be not fashion's gilded lady—
Be a brave, whole-souled, true woman.

The Mosquito.

A writer in the *Scientific American* tells how the mosquito looks, what he does for a living, and how he is produced. It is an interesting sketch, but by no means a compensation for a mosquito bite, or the "small horror of his bugle horn." The writer says:

It is unscientific to say that mosquitoes bite, for they have no teeth; and they have no need of teeth to seize upon or prepare their for they are dainty, and take food only in the liquid form—spoon victuals. They are a chivalric race, and attack their enemies with a sort of sword or lance; no doubt they consider biting and gouging quite vulgar. The lance of the mosquito is a very beautiful and perfect piece of work; it is smoother than burnished steeel, and its point is so fine and perfect that the most powerful microscope does not discover a flaw in it. As the most delicate cambric needle is to the crowbar, so is the mosquito's lance to the best Damascus blade. The lance is worn in a scabbard or sheeth, which in every respect is worthy of it; it is often ornamented with plumes. Man carries his sword at his side, and the mosquito on his head. The latter arrangement has manifest and wonderful advantages—the weapon is always *en garde*, and does not impede locomotion by getting entangled with the legs.

The lance and its sheath being on the head and being somewhat flexible, is often called a proboscis. This view of the case is strengthened by the fact that the scabbard is a suction pipe through which the mosquito drinks its food. As it loses struck the food with his sword so the mosquito with a thrust of his lance pierces the fountain, and the nectar, gushing into the scabbard, finds its way to the more sensitive and vital parts. But is not this calling the lance and scabbard, a proboscis, thus likening the delicate mosquito to the moustrous elephant, a little far-fetched?

The mosquito is the most musical of all animals. There is no bird which sings so much. He never tires of his simple song. How happy must he be, cheerily singing far into the night! What a volume of melody from so slight a creature! If a man had a voice so loud proportionate to his weight, he might hold a conversation across the Atlantic, and there would be no need of the telegraph. Humorous, or complimentary to the musical powers of the mosquito, named it Culex Pipiens. But there are those who say that the mosquito has no vocal organs, and that his notes are not music, but the sound produced by the flapping of his wings, or by some other similar and purely mechanical movement. Have these detractors music in their souls!

The mosquito might be classed among our domestic animals, may we not say among the household pets? They are the almost constant companions of man in town and country during the holiday season of the Summer. No home without the mosquito. What affection! How they stick to to us, closer than brothers! They often come a great way—hundreds of miles—to be with us. Most of them which greet us in this city have left their distant homes in Jersey and have made the perilous journey across a wide river. They also love their own society, and travel in companies which sometimes comprise millions of individuals—in swarms which obscure the sun. But the common place detractors say that mosquitoes are bred in unwholesome swamps, and that it is only the wind which bears them, as it does feathers and malaria, wherever it listeth.

Let us inquire about the earliest beginning of the mosquito; let us take him in the egg. The mother mosquito has notions of naval architecture, and out of the eggs she lays she constructs, a well modeled boat, with elevated prow and stern and well proportioned midship. For the boat she employs two hundred and fifty to three hundred and fifty eggs, building it up piecemeal, somewhat after the manner of men, binding together the individual eggs by means of a powerful water-proof cement into substantial and complete structure. Unfortunately we are unable to give a receipt for the water-proof cement; there are many who would like to have it. The boat is built on the water, and when completed she is confidently abandoned to the mercy of the wind and the waves. Thanks to that water-proof cement, she can neither be broken, wetted, nor sunk; she is safer than if she were copper bottomed. The little craft, it must be remembered, is freighed with life—each of its 250 or 350 little state rooms has its tenant. After a few days' cruising the occupants of the shells come forth, and the ship is destroyed. But those little creatures are surely not mosquitoes; they appear more like fish or serpents, or little dragons. On closer examination they prove to be what every one knows under the name of "wigglers;" they are the larve of the mosquito. They wiggle about in the well known way for a week or two, and after changing their skins two or three times, they assume quite a new form and movement. They are now what the boys call "tumbles," and are the *pupæ* of the mosquito. In about a week, if the weather, &c., be favorable, something of the form of the mosquito may be seen through the transparent skin of the tumbler. Shortly the prisoner escapes from his confinement as a full fledged and bold mosquito, and soars away in search of food and pleasure.

An Apparition.

The *Nation* of this week, in its Paris correspondence, tells a rather remarkable "ghost" story in this wise:

My friend Colonel Sir William D——, an officer in the British army, having seen much service in various parts of the world, has been for some time past residing in Paris with his family, consisting of his wife, two sons, and a highly accomplished and charming daughter. From Sir William and his daughter I have the following story, which I give—changing only the names and initials of the parties—exactly as they told it to me a few evenings ago:

The eldest son, when pursuing his studies, a very few years since, at the Military College of Sandhurst, near London, was on intimate terms with another of the cadets, whom we will call Hartly. Young Hartly was a general favorite in the college, a promising, active young fellow, fond of the sports usually played by young men in England, and especially addicted to cricket. One Saturday afternoon, young Hartly having been absent for some time from the college on a visit to his parents in London, the pupils all turned out for a game of cricket. It was a fine sunny afternoon; the cricket ground was full of animation, and the game was going on merrily. Presently to the surprise and satisfaction of all the pupils, young Hartly was seen to enter the ground, dressed as usual, and looking in all respects exactly like his usual self. He went up to the ushers and shook hands with them, and with a number of the pupils. All present appear to have seen him perfectly, and to have felt pleased at seeing him come back. Presently he threw himself on the ground, took a cigar from his pocket, lighted it and began to smoke, watching the game, meanwhile, with his usual interest, and every now and then commenting upon its progress, criticizing this stroke, applauding that, and seeming as intent on the game as any of the players. At length he suddenly drew out his watch, and started to his feet, exclaiming, "I am wanted in London at four o'clock, and I must be off at once, for I have just time to catch the train," and rushed from the ground in the direction of the railway station. Much surprised at so sudden a departure, several of the pupils took out their watches and discussed his chances of being in London by four o'clock, as it then wanted but a few minutes of that hour.

Next day brought to the astonished inmates of the college the news of young Hartly's death which had occured the preceding day at his father's house, exactly at four o'clock. He had fallen ill during his visit home, and, as was afterward ascertained, had not once left his bed from the time of his falling ill. It was also ascertained that during the whole of that last day, through which he lay in a sort of quiet stupor, his mother had never left his bedside. "We've seen a real apparition for once in our lives," was the shuddering admission of the cadets when the news of Hartly's decease reached them.

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MASS MEETING IN ALLEGHENY.

Immense Popular Demonstration.

Speeches by Cols. Edward McPherson J. M. Thompson and Frank Jordan.

The first Union Republican meeting of the campaign was held in front of the city building, Allegheny City, last evening, for the purpose of ratifying the platform adopted, and the candidates nominated by the County Convention, on Tuesday last. There was a large attendance, several thousand people being present, and great enthusiasm was manifested. At eight o'clock the meeting was organized, and Thomas M. Marshall, Esq., called upon to preside.

Mr. Marshall came forward and was received with cheers. He made a brief speech in accepting the position of presiding officer and referred in eloquent terms to the manner in which Allegheny county had stood in support of the cause of honor and justice.

The following additional officers were then nominated and confirmed:

Vice-Presidents—Hon. John Morrison, C. C. Smith, John A. Myler, George Darsie, Stephen T. Logan, Calvin Sandford, G. Sanoyer, Edward Willis, Jr., Thomas C. Dixon, Jared M. Brush, Hon. Thomas S. Bigham, James McAuley, Max. Moorhead, Charles I. Armstrong, James Marshall, Dr. T. J. Gallagher, Capt. Tomlinson, Wm. Smith, Wm. Phillips, Thos. Reese, [illegible] Jones, Ed. T. Cassidy, Wm. B. Negley, David R. Cocus, James Kelley, Wm. Smith, John A. Myler, George Darsie, Stephen T. Logan, Calvin Sandford, G. Sanoyer, Edward Willis, Jr., Thomas C. Dixon, Jared M. Brush, Hon. Thomas S. Bigham, James McAuley, Max. Moorhead, Charles I. Armstrong, James Marshall, Dr. T. J. Gallagher, Capt. Tomlinson, Wm. Smith, Wm. Phillips, Thos. Reese, [illegible] Jones, Ed. T. Cassidy, Wm. B. Negley, David R. Cocus, James Kelley, Wm.

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On motion, the following Committee on Resolutions was appointed: Jacob H. Miller, John A. Myler, Hon. John Morrison, James E. Stevenson and Robt. W. Mackey.

SPEECH OF HON. ED. M'PHERSON.

Hon. Edward M'Pherson, Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, was then introduced to the meeting and received cordially. He said:

MR. PRESIDENT AND FELLOW CITIZENS—Happening to be in Pittsburgh in the discharge of a duty devolving upon me as a member of the Republican State Central Committee, it gave me great pleasure to accept an invitation to come before you this evening and give my opinions concerning the pecuent canvass, and the great importance of its results. I believe from the spirit manifested by this gathering of so large an audience upon so short a notice, is an indication that this grand old banner county of the State, which has selected a republican ticket in this campaign, has chosen one whose praise is in the mouths of the people. From the present indications it is safe to presume that old Allegheny will rise in her might and give us of the East in October an evidence of her devotion to the true principles of liberty by giving ten thousand majority in favor of Hon. Henry W. Williams for Judge of the Supreme Court (Applause.) We of the East know the man, respect and love him. Upon the decision of this election will depend the character of the Supreme Bench of Pennsylvania. It is to be decided whether it is to be placed beyond all controversy in sympathy with the people of the State. It is for the people to have the Supreme Court so organized so that it shall upon political questions be in sympathy with the majority of the people. Every Republican Convention has put this upon its platfrom, and every Democratic newspaper goes into its over that declaration. These Democrats who appear to be so horrified at the idea have always endeavored to control it in their interests. In the days of pro-slavery they endeavored to put every man out of power, who would not fall down and worship the black idol of slavery. For a series of years they carried on this work relentlessly. They endeavored to abolish everything that opposed them, and when, in 1856 the crisis came, and it became necessary to override the Constitution, in order to sustain slavery, they did not propose an amendment to the Constitution, but went into the Supreme Judiciary of the United States, and selected from that bench a majority of the judges, who agreed to put forth the infamous Dred Scott decision, by which slavery was elevated into a national institution, and this party has had the impudence to stand up and endeavor in this, the nineteenth century, to bind the people to the interests of slavery, and those men hold up their hands in pious horror when the people trample the Dred Scott decision under foot, and say that the interests of the nation shall be reorganized in behalf of loyalty. It is necessary to elect Judge Williams, in order to prevent power from falling into the hands of those whom we do not know that we can trust. You remember when the Democracy undertook to break down the administration of President Lincoln and destroy the legal currency of the United States, they turned to a Democratic Supreme Court to help them, and we were only saved through the patriotism of Judge Strong, of the Supreme Court. Judge Woodward and Judge Thompson stood by the Democracy in the attempt to suppress the rebellion, while the Republican Judges stood firm in maintaining the rights of the Government. It is necessary to elect a Republican Judge, in order that upon these great national questions the Supreme Court shall be arrayed upon the side of loyalty, and not in the interests of treason. I say here to-night, in the presence of this intelligent audience, that in the nominee of the Democratic party, Judge Sharswood, of Philadelphia, should never be chosen to the office. I say so, because his own record proves it. His record dates back as far as 1852, in which year the nullifiers undertook to prevent the enforcement of the laws of the United States in the State of South Carolina—and undertook to prove it to be right that South Carolina should take within her own hands the law and say whether it should be administered in its elements or not. You remember how Andrew Jackson conquered those nullifiers, and with uplifted hand swore by the Eternal that this Union shall and will be preserved, and that the laws of the United States should be enforced. In the preservation of that issue party lines were broken down. Such distinguished men as Daniel Webster rallied around Andrew Jackson, and what Webster settled, as we supposed, in his controversy with Hayne—the fact that South Carolina had no right to nullify the laws of the United States. What said Judge Sharswood upon that question? He was one of a party of Philadelphia gentlemen who organized themselves into a State Rights Association, that held regular meetings, and a public celebration in 1854, made the declaration that in his opinion it was competent for each State to judge of its infractions of Federal power, and to choose for itself the most proper and efficient remedies, thereby affirming, in a direct and methodical manner, that South Carolina had the power within itself to nullify the acts of Congress. The same party undertook to eulogize the acts of Kentucky, passed in 1798, which were the text books of secession and nullification. Every Democrat should be ashamed to vote for such a candidate, when they compare him with a true representative of the Democratic party—Andrew Jackson. What said Andrew Jackson in 1830? He said: "I consider the power to annul a law of the United States, by the States, incompatible with the interests of the Nation, contradicted by the letter of the Constitution, inconsistent with every principle upon which it was founded, and a departure form the great object for which it was framed." Animated by that great idea, the *Union* was indestructable, the bars were laid gallant Andrew Jackson stood up, and in spite of the blandishments and threats of his enemies, swore by the Eternal that the dignity of the Union should be asserted. In that first battle we find this candidate of the modern Democracy making his bed with the nullifiers, and he kept his bed there and became a secessionist in 1860. When, in 1854, as Judge of the District Court of Philadelphia, it became necessary for him to decide in reference to an act of Congress, he took the same State Right, narrow, contracted view of the powers of the Government that he took in 1854, and decided that, in his judgment, it was not the province of the Government to issue greenbacks as currency and make them legal tender for the payment of public debts. The Democratic party are anxious to get rid of these principles. I do not wish to say anything against Judge Sharswood personally, but I do say that in 1861 he would, if he could, have used the entire judiciary power of the State to strike down the Union cause, by depriving it of funds. There is no safety for the people of this State in electing any man for office, who, by his own confession, holds such dangerous views of government.

There is another question, and that is the importance of this election in settling "Andy" Johnson. You may have observed that he is in a very unsettled condition at present; constantly throwing up flim: he is engaged in an effort to prevent the acceptance, by the people of the South, of the principles of reconstruction. He is endeavoring to build up in the South a sytsem of hostility to this Government which bodes great danger. We supposed that the adjournment of Congress that the reconstruction question was settled, but that body had hardly adjourned before the President abjured its decisions. Congress settled the law, as we supposed, in favor of the Government. They had no sooner adjourned than a brave and honorable man, who made his mark upon the rebellion as deeply as any soldier who had aided in suppressing it, was removed. The President had determined that this gallant soldier—Gen. Phil. Sheridan—should be displaced. He was the man who won great Union victories, and hurled Gen. Early down the Shenandoah Valley. At the commencement of the war you remember what the cry of the Democratic party was. They assailed the character of the men who supported the Government, and when Grant won his great victories they called him a drunkard. You probably remember the remark of President Lincoln, who said that he wished other Generals would drink the same brand of liquor. I have seen Sheridan at Washington City, but never saw him intoxicated, and you can no more make the people believe that Sheridan is a drunkard, than Judas Early can make them believe that he is a coward. [Applause.] This Democratic organization, which does not know that it is dead—which has no life, except in its tail—which is not only dead but is rotten—which is not merely rotten but stinks, [applause]—this Democratic party, as each year rolls around, will surely become more and more hateful to the American people. Do you ever remember the tories of the revolution, did they ever come up after the war was declared; can you now find a man who will admit that he has a drop of Tory blood in his veins. You cannot, because tories were traitors to their country. The tories went down in shame and ignominy, and my Democratic friends, it may make you feel bad to hear it, but you may know sooner or later that the Democratic party as now *organized* is dead, and will remain so, for it has sympathized with rebellion.

When this war broke out Buchanan did not do as Jackson did; but he took off his boots, put on his slippers and said let this issue fall upon my successor, after we let the crisis come. [Applause.] My friends, he took that ground not only because he was a constitutional coward, but because he was a Democrat—because he took from Jeremiah Black the doctrine that the nation had no power to save itself, or prevent rebellion from destroying its institutions. Black told him it was so, and made an argument to him to prove that it was so, and from that day to this the history of the Democratic party in the rebellion, is a history of opposition to the suppression of the rebellion, and direct sympathy with the rebellion itself. It affords Union men great pleasure while taking this view of the acts of the Democratic party as a party, to pay their tribute of respect and admiration to the Democrats who sprang to aid and save the nation when it needed the help of its defenders, and who mounted the loss of its heroic men. While the news was flashing over the wires that your own distinguished Democrat, Samuel Black, had been killed, no person felt more distinctly than myself the true line between him and all the great mass of men with whom he had formerly acted. Why Sheridan,—*drunken* Sheridan as the Democracy now call him, was a Democrat before the war; Dan. Sickles was a Democrat before the war; it was stated that Grant was a Democrat, but the Democracy are not very anxious to claim him *just* now. [Cheers and cries of "go on."] Why! there is now nothing to go over; *the* nation has passed over nearly all the *great* issues, and they have been decided. It is now only necessary for the people *to* give Andrew Johnson such a rebuke as will effectually settle *him*. He pretends to have a great deal of *sympathy* for the people, but I do not think he will have so much sympathy for them after election. [Cheers and cries of "that's so."]? It is only necessary for the people *to* unite as they were before the war. The greatest danger we now have is owing to the spirit which has been developed by the administration of President Johnson. In order to demonstrate what I mean by that, I have brought with me a Southern paper, which shows the spirit which has been developed by this Administration among the unreconstructed people of the South.

The speaker here read an extract from a paper published in Georgia, in reference to the proposed erecting of a monument to the memory of President Lincoln. The article proposed that instead of building a monument of marble, the builders should gather the bones of the patriotic men who fell by the "hirelings of Lincoln," and cement them with the blood of those who were murdered in the cause of the South, and proposing that it be inscribed "to the destroyer of free government in America."

Now my friends, in 1865, when this rebellion was overthrown, what was it that we asked you to do? The South acknowledged that they had no rights, except such as we, as conquerors saw fit to give them. Andrew Johnson saw fit to restore them to their old position. Congress tried to organize upon a different basis, but to-day the course of Johnson has aroused all the malignant sentiment in their hearts, so that in the central part of Georgia a lady correspondent pens proper to publish this infamous slander upon the martyred President. I do not say that this is to be taken as an exponent of the sentiments of the people of the South. These are the men who you are to determine whether they are to be restored to power or not. Such is the fear of the result. This people, having the power to carry the country through five years of war, at an unparalleled cost, will now turn and leave their work unfinished, but will reconstruct the South in the interests of loyalty, so that over the region desolated by war, and now still more desolated by the action which rankles in the bosom of public men, shall never more be exposed to the machinations of rebels, but shall be so restored that the power of the Government be with the men who saved it. This Government is the property of the men who saved it just as much as it is the property of those that made it: it is the possession and property of the loyal men of this country. We will allow former rebels to remain as passengers, but they shall not have the helm. If there is one idea in the reconstruction measures of Congress it is that when the States are reconstructed the rebels shall have no hold in them. This man at Washington, whom we made Vice President, who falsified every pledge he ever gave, who stands before the people the most disgraced man in the nation—I hardly know how to describe him—he is not entirely fool, nor entirely knave, but possessed with the devil, and like the swine, running down hill, obeying the impulse, but end death, which the nation intends to consign him. We have no personal quarrel with him, and I hope he will live long enough to repent and sackcloth and ashes the great injury he has done to the cause of public liberty. After you have done with him at the election he will be so crushed out that even in Allegheny county not one of the twenty-five men who comprise his party here, will ever desire to confess that he ever belonged to it. We have only one man and a half that belongs to that party, and upon the second Tuesday of October you can make complete the overthrow of the rebellion by defeating the Democratic party and its chief supporters.

Gentlemen, I will bring my remarks to a close, and give way with pleasure to another gentleman. I shall take back to Gettysburg cheering words as to the grand prospects, and if I ever return I hope it shall be to congratulate you upon the result of your efforts. In order to be successful, united efforts are necessary. Compromise nothing, for our cause is the cause of right, patriotism, law and justice, and the Sun will set upon the Keystone State on the second Tuesday of October true as it was during the war for the Union.

SPEECH OF COL. THOMPSON.

Col. John M. Thompson, of Butler county, was next introduced, and spoke substantially as follows: He said that the issues presented before the people of Allegheny, and the one upon which they were to decide, was whether treason should secure by the ballot what it could not accomplish by the bullet. The question is not party or politics, but whether the people, without distinction of party, will support the Reconstruction Laws of Congress, have our nearly struggle, in their efforts to restore the constitutional and law-abiding assumptions of the President.

Resolved, That as the best answers to the President's course have heretofore been found in Republican victories, we shall make as our man to the support of our State and county ticket, and so shall insist her an effectual resistance to the man who forgets he is but an accidental President, and fancies he is a King.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Hon. Marshall was then called upon and made a few remarks, after which the meeting adjourned with three cheers for the ticket.

THE MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL IN THE JOHNSON CASE OVERRULED.—The motion for a new trial in the case of Wm. Johnson, of Altoona, convicted of counterfeiting, came up for argument in the United States District Court yesterday, Messrs. Purviance appearing on behalf of Johnson, and the District Attorney, R. B. Carnahan, for the government. The reasons for a new trial being taken up and heard in mind that such chances to get convenient where every thing is pleasant both in location and neighborhood are becoming rare and very few. A ride among our suburbs in the present prosperous many attractions, but when everything is considered, this locality has special charms which but few others possess. It requires but a short time to reach the heart of the city, in the country, and beautiful country too. And more than this, it is very easy to get there. It is surrounded by handsome villas and inhabited by cultivated people, and for neighborliness is not beyond compare, the situation choice, and the neighborhood free from any annoyance or nuisance. We feel confident no party purchasing will repent of so doing and we hope every lot will be sold as they should and will be if properly appreciated.

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On Saturday, September 7th, at 2 o'clock P. M. precisely, on the premises, will be sold 12 acres of Ground, being the property of Mrs. Margaret G. Semple, the improvements on which are a two-story brick dwelling house, containing 9 rooms, with porches front and back, also, large frame carriage-house, out buildings, and 2 two-storied buildings for gardener and driver. On the grounds are beautifully arranged water works, with cistern, springs, pumps, &c., also, excellent orchard of fruit, cherry, gravel walks, &c. Will be sold as a whole or in lots, to suit purchasers. Title indisputable.

Terms—One-fourth cash, balance in four equal annual payments, secured by bond and mortgage, purchaser to pay title papers and stamps.

Plans can be seen at the office of E. S. Hanna, M. D., Lawrenceville; at the office of Messrs. D. W. & A. S. Bell, No. 144 Fourth street, or

SMITHSON, PALMER & CO., Auctioneers, 55 and 57 Fifth street.

AMERICAN TEA COMPANY, No. 2, St. Clair street. New cargo China Teas, via England. Extra strength and flavor.

THE Philadelphia National Refreshment Saloons, where the soldiers from every part of the United States will be fed free of charge in honor to Philadelphia, and there is a peculiar propriety in the circumstance that Philadelphia should inaugurate a plan for the endowment of a National Institution where the orphans of brave sameheroes may have a home and receive an education. This is what the Trustees of the Riverside Institute have undertaken to accomplish. Acting under the charter of the Swarthmore Library Company, incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania, they are issuing stock at the low rate of one dollar per share, and will give to each subscriber a beautiful and valuable engraving, worth at retail more than the price of the stock, and as an additional inducement will distribute among the stockholders presents valued at $500,000. In the distribution every one has an equal chance to obtain large presents; one is worth $40,000, another $30,000, &c. Who can refuse to do a patriotic and benevolent action on these terms.

NO BETTER AGERIENT can be found than Wilson's Pills. Dyspepsia, sour stomach, costiveness and torpid liver are instantly relieved by them. All the druggists in the United States keep them.

BOOTS, SHOES, DRY GOODS, CARPETS, &c.—Notices at private sale every night and evening, at auction prices, at the Mammoth Emporium of Smithson, Palmer & Co., 55 and 57 Fifth street.

AMERICAN TEA COMPANY, No. 2 St. Clair street. New Cargo of Teas, fine and cheap. Fine Gunpowder Tea $1 75.

Important Sale.

By referring to our advertising columns the Sale will be observed of the Advertisement of John D. Bailey, Auctioneer, who will sell at the office of Lindsey, Owens & Semple, No. 134 First street, on Friday (this) morning, Hoges, Shoats, Sausages, lot of Boiler Iron, Galvanized Sheet Iron, an Iron Safe, besides a variety of other articles.

AMERICAN TEA COMPANY, No. 2 St. Clair street, sells the finest Teas at the New York prices.

CHEAP SOAP! GOOD SOAP! Natrona Refined Saponifier or Concentrated Lye. Two cents a pound for superior hard soap. Twelve pounds of soft soap for one cent. Every family can make their own soap. All varieties of soap as easily made as a cup of coffee. In a new concentrated lye for making soap, just discovered in Greenland, in the Arctic seas, and is composed mainly of aluminate of soda, which, when mixed with refined, produces the best detersive soap in the world. One box will make 175 pounds of good soft soap, or its equivalent in superior hard soap. Retailed by all druggists and grocers in the United States. Full recipes with each box. Dealers can obtain it wholesale in cases, each containing 48 boxes, at a liberal discount, of the wholesale grocers and druggists in all the towns and cities of the United States, or of CLIFFORD PEMBERTON, General Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa. cod

Eye, Ear, Throat, Lung, Chest Diseases, Catarrh.

Successfully treated by Dr. Aborn, 151 Smithfield street. A book by mail 50 cents.

GODFREY & CLARK manufacture the best paper sacks in the United States for putting up flour, corn meal, &c. Call and see them. Warehouse, No. 357 Liberty street.

Growing Reputation.

If the entire correspondence from South America, Central America and the West Indies, received by Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, during the last twelve months, were published at length it would probably be considered one of the most extraordinary collections of approbatory testimony on record. The letters, written in every variety of style, and emanating from individuals of almost every class, are, nevertheless, all of the same tenor. Physicians, priests, merchants, planters, military officers, artisans, lawyers, &c., tell one story, admitting, without reserve or qualification, that the tonics heretofore in use in those regions have been generally and justly superseded by HOSTETTER'S BITTERS.

The confidence manifested by the people of these countries might be fairly called enthusiastic. Yet these are not the only tokens of the growing popularity of

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,

The foreign orders for the article from Europe, Australia, New Zealand, China, Japan, East Indies, Cape of Good Hope, Sandwich Islands, &c., have been heavier than at any former period.

As an antidote to malaria, a stomachic and general invigorant they all testify to its remarkable efficacy.

DIED:

LOVETT—At Grand Rapids, Michigan, August 31st, CAROLINE BEELES, wife of George Sa. Lovett.

PEARSON—On Thursday evening, September 5, at Lawrenceville, MARY FLORENCE, daughter of Wm. N. and Annie Pearson, aged two years and ten months.

Notice of funeral in morning papers.

MCKEE—On Wednesday, September 4th, at 12 M., JOHN MCKEE, in the seventieth year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 2013 Third street, on FRIDAY, the 6th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M.

WHEELER & WILSON AWARDED THE ONLY GOLD MEDAL

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NO. 87 FIFTH STREET

CONVERSION OF 7.30'S.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE WE WILL CONTINUE TO

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

THURSDAY EVENING, September 5, 1867.

The sudden advance to-day in the price of Government bonds is the most interesting feature in the New York quotations. All the series are favorably affected but the more marked advance is shown in the old bonds of '62. We present below the report of Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co.:

U. S. 6s 1881	112
U. S. 5-20s, 1865	110½
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	110½
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, May and November	110½
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, January and July	110½
December Compounds, 1864	99¼
August 7-30s	107
June Tens	107½
July 7-30s	107½
1867	108
U. S. 5-20s, 1867	108½

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—James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth and Wood streets, quote United States securities in New York up to noon to-day as follows:

U. S. 6s 1881	111½
5-20s, 1865	110½
1864	110½
1865	110½
10-40s	103½
5-20s, 1868, (January and July)	108
1867	107½
June 7-30s	107
July 7-30s	107½
December Compounds, 1864	112½
1865	108½
Silver	134
New 5-20s	108½

—It is reported that most of the operators at the New York Stock Board seem afraid of the market. The "bulls" are far from feeling confident of buoyancy, notwithstanding the extreme ease in money; while, because of this potential element of financial ease, the "bears" decline to be entrapped into the creation of an extensive "short" interest. Some unloading is going on in the way of the more active stocks, which suffer least from the liberal offerings. Prices at noon to-day, as reported by Mr. Bryan, were as follows:

Michigan Southern	82½
Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad	59
Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad	106
Erie Railroad	36½
Chicago & Northwestern Railroad	46

—The following is a comparison of the prices of the leading stocks at the First Board now with a month ago:

	Aug. 3.	Sept. 3.	Higher	Lower
New York Central	104½	106	¾	
Erie	76	76		¾
Hudson	126	126	¾	
Reading	94	94		
Michigan Southern	80½	83½	2¾	
Pittsburgh	84	85½	1½	
Cleve. and Toledo	122	126	4	
Rock Island	104¾	106¾	2	
Fort Wayne	96	97	1	
Northwestern	46	46		
Western Union Tel.	49	49½	½	
Pacific Mail	146	143¾		2¼

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, THURSDAY, September 4, 1867.

CATTLE—This market continues to be well supplied with cattle and a good local and shipping demand. The sales were the largest reported for many weeks and buyers took hold freely at an advance over last week's prices. As usual the largest sales were made on Eastern account. The lowest figures were $4 25 ₱ cwt., and the highest $6 25, being a material advance over the prices obtained for some time past. The advantages of the market were on the side of sellers. The operations for the past three weeks were as follows:

August 22	1,785	$2 75@6 00
August 29	3,685	3 00@6 00
September 5	2,156	4 25@6 25

The increase in sales this week reached 63 head over last week, and at the close a considerable number remained in the pens.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—The market during the week was well supplied. Since our last the sales were liberal—principally for export. The rates were a shade above those of last week. The sales and prices for the past three weeks were as follows:

August 22	8,697	$5 10@5 90
August 29	6,580	5 00@6 00
September 5	6,713	3 25@6 00

This shows a falling off in sales as compared with the previous week of 467 head.

HOGS—The market since our last was fairly active, with a good shipping demand for lots suitable for that purpose. Several loads of good smooth hogs sold as high as $7 80 ₱ cwt. The largest portion of the sales were at $6 25@7 25 ₱ cwt. The operations for the past three weeks were as follows:

August 22	4,665	$5 90@7 35
August 29	6,683	6 25@7 80
September 5	6,715	4 00@7 80

This shows an increase in sales amounting to 632 head.

TRANSACTIONS IN SHEEP PER CWT.

Seller.	Purchaser.	No.	Weight.	Price.
J Gaston	E Barkley	100	9,150	$4 00
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D Hobson	C Ault	36	7,875	4 10
D Hobson	C J Pierce	35	7,350	4 00
J H Baldorf	C J Pierce	195	42,675	4 12
W Hogan	C J Pierce	200	43,600	4 12
S Hoffman	C J Pierce	199	18,025	4 00
W Redmond	E Beatem	200	19,000	4 00
H & W Newell	E L Kase	382	34,435	4 00
D Myers	E L Kase	47	8,825	4 25
W Hogan	E L Kase	200	19,125	4 00
C Ault	E L Kase	33	2,760	4 00
Wm Blick	E L Kase	38	3,705	4 00
W P Handiton	E L Kase	210	17,990	4 00
Laughlin	E L Kase	210	18,250	4 12
Tweedy & Co	E L Kase	214	19,625	4 12
Hedges & T	E L Kase	112	9,940	3 62
Gregg	E L Kase	100	10,275	3 87
Smith	E L Kase	211	$2 25 ₱ head.	
W Wilson	E L Kase	46	4,140	4 00
C Ault	J Rankle	20	1,760	4 00
W Hollowood	J Rankle	108	10,260	4 00
N Glanck	J Rankle	160	14,560	3 50
S M McKeever	J Rankle	100	10,000	4 00
Hedges & T	J Rankle	178	12,100	3 75
H Hoffman	J Rankle	200	$7 87½ ₱ head.	
H Hoffman	J Rankle	200	44 00	
D Meiriman	J Rankle	107	8,875	3 50
Hedges & T	J Rankle	107	8,875	3 50
W Warner	D & O Crow	250	18,000	3 75
S & W Mcfarlane	D & O Crow	200	18,000	3 75
B B Jordan	Hedges & C	243	22,850	3 75
J C Stoufer	H Beatty	100	9,000	3 75
Crawford & Co	Messenger & Co	207	18,000	4 00
M Sears	C A Campbell	70	6,650	4 00
S Hoffman	Hesser	199	18,025	4 00
Crow		44	$2 75 ₱ head.	

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TRANSACTIONS IN CATTLE PER CWT., AND WEIGHT.

Seller.	Purchaser.	No.	Weight.	Price.
Hedges & Taylor	S G Keller	22	16,775	$4 40
Hedges & Taylor	T Mooney	21	16,275	4 50
Hedges & Taylor	T Mooney	4	3,225	5 00
Hedges & Taylor	Moses & Co	67	51,475	4 50
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Hedges & Taylor	T Mooney	21	16,650	4 50
Hedges & Taylor	T Mooney	21	16,875	4 25
Hedges & Taylor	D Barbe	26	21,875	5 25
Hedges & Taylor	D Barbe	4	3,400	5 00
Glass & Lafferty	J H Todd	4	4,175	5 50
Glass & Lafferty	A Allis	18	16,525	5 00
Glass & Lafferty	A J Spaeth	20	18,875	5 40
Glass & Lafferty	J H Todd	15	12,825	5 50
Glass & Lafferty	Chandler & S	18	16,425	5 50
Glass & Lafferty	Bender & K	6	5,500	5 75
Glass & Lafferty	Bender & K	6	5,500	5 75
Smith & Tomage	J H Todd	21	20,000	5 60
Smith & Tomage	A Allis	20	18,000	5 50
Smith & Tomage	W Hines	1	675	3 00
Smith & Tomage	Moses & Co	42	37,800	5 50
Smith & Tomage	Fleemaurer	3	3,225	6 25
Smith & Tomage	A J Spaeth	20	18,875	5 40
Smith & Tomage	Soble & H	17	16,060	5 65
Smith & Tomage	Soble & H	17	16,060	5 65
Smith & Tomage	S Light	19	18,650	5 75
Smith & Tomage	F Kleiman	20	19,450	5 75
Smith & Tomage	Bender & K	20	19,450	6 00
Smith & Tomage	Bender & K	20	19,450	6 00
Berry & Biddle	S Zingland	18	18,000	6 25
Berry & Biddle	J Evans	45	43,875	6 25
Berry & Biddle	J Evans	45	43,875	6 25
Berry & Biddle	S Lamon	9	8,100	6 00
Berry & Biddle	S Lamon	9	8,100	6 00
Berry & Biddle	Irwin	22	20,075	5 50
Marvin & Co	Ault	20	19,450	6 50
Marvin & Co	Scrawley	19	18,525	6 50
W Lafferty	F T Orr	92	17,940	5 50
W Lafferty	F T Orr	112	18,985	5 40
J. Potter	T F Orr	112	18,985	5 40

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, September 6, 1867.

BUSINESS—The market yesterday was excited. Dealers were talking of large figures. The reports from the Continent were to the effect that the rejection of the Antwerp market at 85 francs. Later in the day dispatches direct reported the market at 82 francs. The eastern markets were active for future delivery, especially on the basis of crude, 70 to 80 to one cent ₱ gallon, according to the option. Large dispatches were waited for with considerable interest by parties interested in the future of crude. The sales in this market were as follows: 200 bbls of September, sold late on Wednesday evening at 73c. Continuing the sale of Wednesday, 1,000 bbls were sold at 73c. Sales were reported to the extent of 11,000 bbls in lots, the largest portion being for next year's delivery. The receipts were 73 bbls. From 60 bbls to 1,000 bbls were offered in lots to suit buyers and dealers excited. Prices were irregular. The sales in this market were as follows: 200 bbls of Smith, Parr, on the spot at 1½c; 200 bbls do Allegheny at 72c; 200 bbls do at 1,987, on the spot; 1,000 bbls option, at 72½c. The following sales were made for next year's delivery: 1,000 bbls, Allegheny, bulk, March and April at 73c ₱ gal. Since the above was written we have reported sales of bulk to the extent of 5,000 bbls, as follows: 3,000 bbls Allegheny, bulk, March and April at 73c ₱ gal. 2,000 bbls do, buyers' option, all 1867, at 73c ₱ gal.

REFINED OIL—The market was excited and prices were irregular. There was a large advance for the same month's delivery. The principal sales for some days past were re-sales of contracts, the seller realizing the large difference. The rates for September were 29c ₱ gallon for crude, 45c for refined, for future months, 32c. It may be proper to state that other dealers were asking 34c for the last four months. The sales that came under our notice were as follows:

Transactions in Refined.

1,000 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 32c.
500 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 32½c.
500 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 32½c.
500 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 33c.
1,500 bbls S W., Phila. Oct. Nov. and Dec., 33c.
500 bbls S W., Phila. October, 32½c.
1,500 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 33c.
500 bbls S W., Phila. September, B O, 33c.
Sales 1,000 bbls S W., deliverable 500 bbls in October and November, free on cars at the Works, 28c ₱ gallon.
Sales of 85 bbls free on cars at 44½c ₱ gallon.

NEW YORK.

Crude has been in active demand, says the *Commercial List*, of the 4th instant, the market closing 16@1c higher than at the date of our last. We quote 40@42 gravity in bulk 16c, and in shipping order, 17½c. The sales are 2450 barrels, 40@43 gravity, in bulk at 16@16½c, and 1,000 barrels, 40@42 gravity, in shipping order at 17½c. 1,000 do as it runs, 36 gravity, September, 700 do 40@42 gravity, 17@17½c, according to delivery; 1000 do 40@42 gravity, delivered at Elizabethport, 16½c; and parcels, 16@16½c. Refined in bond under continued favorable foreign advices, has ruled very firm, and there has been a large advance in the price on standard white—at the close 35c was generally demanded. The sales are 275 barrels P. L. S to 34 at 35c; 12,000 do, 30 days, 34½c; 2,000 do, nearly all the higher price; do P. W. 31 cents; 1000 do 30 days f o b; 500 do "Oilopheine," on private terms—for future delivery 35c is the active demand, and 36c has been asked; sales 3,000 bbls S. Wa. for September, at 31½@33c; 1,000 do for October, 33c; and 500 do do, for November, 35c, closing at the outside prices. Free is in good demand, and 30@31c has been paid for P. L. S. to W.; at 45@46c, and 26@ do P. L. S. to W. 41½@45c. Naphtha is the steadiest article. Sales Resthumn sold at $3 50@3 62½c. Stock in yard September 1—

	1867.	1866.
Crude, bbls	5,146	17,588
Refined	23,109	38,410
Naphtha	200	500
Residuum	40	1,220
Total bbls	28,486	58,392
Stock August 31	26,720	65,745

"Including 2,000 bbls refined on ship-board.

Oil Receipts per River and Rail.

Wesley Wilson	46 H Chase
S McElligott	250 Hesser Bro
Fisher Bro	250 Fisher Bro
Total	737

Oil Shipped East from Duquesne Depot.

Warring, King & Co, 200 bbls crude to W P Winer, King & Co, Philadelphia.
T R Petty, 200 bbls crude to